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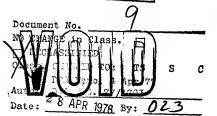
Recent ammunition stockpiling has been observed in a wooded area two kilometers north of Röderau Bahnhof (E-82) since early 1948. Ten to twenty thousand cases of ammunition are stored there. Some is brought by rail, some transhipped by truck. On 20 March 1948 five thousand cases of medium caliber mortar shells were delivered.

- 2. Underground chambers are being constructed. The existing concrete bunker, which is mainly underground now holds approximately ten thousand cases of tank arrunition. Wearby, a subterranean temporary bunker contains a large amount of small and nedium sized aircraft bombs.
- 3. The depot employs 750 Russian workers plus twenty German electricians and mechanics. The latter are installing an alarm system.
- 4. Some single carloads of ammunition were delivered to Coswig (E-36)

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